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**IXth International Scientific and Practical Conference**

**"Ecological Problems. A Look into the Future"**

**Rostov-on-Don**

**22-23 October 2020**

**Dedicated to the 105th Anniversary of the Southern Federal University**

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**Dear colleagues!**

**We invite you to take part in the**

**IXth International Scientific and Practical Conference**

**"Ecological Problems. A Look into the Future"**

**Location:**

The conference will be held in remote format.

**Conference languages:**

Russian, English, French, Spanish.

**Paper submission deadline – 05 October 2020**

**Sections:**

* Global, regional and local ecological and geographical problems, sustainability.
* Physical geography in the modern world. Trends theoretical and applied aspects of sustainable development.
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* Modeling of natural and man-caused processes.
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* Water resources, hydrology and hydrochemistry.
* Geoinformation technologies in geography, ecology and land hydrology.
* Stable and radioactive isotopes in the environment.
* Methods of research and identification of substances of natural and anthropogenic origin in natural waters.

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